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Appln No.: 10/006,461  
Filed: December 6, 2001  
Applicant(s): Cathryn E. Goodman et al.  
Title: Method and Apparatus for  
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated March 18, 2004 finally rejecting claims 1-51.

- ☒ The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$ 330.00 (37 CFR § 1.17(b)).
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status (37 CFR § 1.27), reducing the Appeal Fee by half to \$ 165.00.
- ☒ Charge \$330.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
- ☐ A petition for extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) is enclosed.

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Decision of Primary Examiner dated March 18, 2004

- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this appeal (specifically including the fee for filing a brief in support of this appeal if such brief is filed unaccompanied by full payment therefor, and the fee for filing a request for an oral hearing if such request is made unaccompanied by full payment therefor), or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Director is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This Notice is filed in duplicate.

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